

Amendment No. 1 to SB2909

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AMEND Senate Bill No. 2909

House Bill No. 2820*

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by deleting subdivision (2) in the amendatory language of Section 1 of the printed bill in its entirety and by substituting instead the following:

(2) Verified answers and defenses are required to be filed by all respondents in response to a petition for termination and a petition for adoption where termination is also sought. Failure to file a verified answer by the party can result in a default being taken in accordance with the Tennessee Rules of Civil Procedure and § 36-1-117(n). Any counter-petition filed must also be verified;